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Interview Summary

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Examiner

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All participants (applicant, applicant's representative, PTO personnel):

(1) Mr. Keith Haupt

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(2) <r. Clark Dexter

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Date of Interview May 22, 2003Type: a) ☒ Telephonic b) ☐ Video Conferencec) ☐ Personal [copy is given to 1) ☐ applicant 2) ☐ applicant's representative]Exhibit shown or demonstration conducted: d) ☐ Yes e) ☒ No. If yes, brief description:Claim(s) discussed: None

Identification of prior art discussed:

NoneAgreement with respect to the claims f) ☐ was reached. g) ☐ was not reached. h) ☒ N/A.

Substance of Interview including description of the general nature of what was agreed to if an agreement was reached, or any other comments:

Mr. Haupt called regarding the status of the claims because the status noted in the Office Action Summary of paper no. 23 is not consistent with the status described in the Detailed Action attached thereto. Mr. Dexter stated that the claim numbers in the Office Action Summary were inadvertently reversed. That is, claims 5, 6, 10, 33, 34 and 37 are rejected; and claims 4, 13 and 14 are objected to. Mr. Dexter also confirmed that there are no rejections under 35 USC 112, so claims 4, 13 and 14 are only objected to as being dependent upon a rejected base claim. It is noted that a corrected version of the Office Action Summary has been attached to the Office action in the application filewrapper.

(A fuller description, if necessary, and a copy of the amendments which the examiner agreed would render the claims allowable, if available, must be attached. Also, where no copy of the amendments that would render the claims allowable is available, a summary thereof must be attached.)

i) ☒ It is not necessary for applicant to provide a separate record of the substance of the interview (if box is checked).

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Examiner's signature, if required

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